



West Nipissing ATV Club Rides Etiquette

- Drivers must possess a valid driver's license and carry proof of insurance.
- Helmets are mandatory.
- Be aware of legislation regarding two persons on an ATV as well as rules pertaining to side by side vehicles. This information is an available link on the club's website. <http://www.wnatvclub.ca>
- Riders **MUST** sign the **RIDE SIGN-UP SHEET**. By signing the ride sheet, you agree to the club's safety requirements for the ride.
- Rides are led by a club LEAD and followed by a club TAIL rider. There will also be club GUIDE riders within the line. Please follow their instructions or guidance, for your safety.
- HEADLIGHTS ON AT ALL TIMES.
- Follow the **BUDDY SYSTEM** which is:
 - The leader sets the route.
 - Each rider at the beginning of the ride recognizes his/her buddy which is the person following you.
 - Maintain adequate distance between vehicles, but please don't let the lights following disappear. Stop if they do.
 - No overtaking.
 - Mark each junction for the benefit of your buddy by waiting for him/her so they know which direction to take. If in doubt to whether or not mark a junction, mark the junction. **STOP**
 - This ensures no one is in difficulty & the group stays together.
- Be aware of and sensitive to our environment. Thank you for not littering Please do not leave the trail and stay with the group.
- If you need to leave or separate from the group, make sure that you notify the Leader or the Tail rider.
- Rides are a SOCIAL event. There is no competition or extreme challenges. Rider suggestions and input to the Committee are solicited and welcomed.